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CATALOGUE. FIRST DAY'S SALE.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4th, 1911,

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- 1 Six, ivory, a cat; another, dog and bell; horn, a figure of Daruma, seated; wood, child on Hotei's bag; old man, signed:

 Riumin; and very finely carved monkey, signed: Okatomo

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- 2 Five, wood, a nasubi fruit; ivory, Gama Sennin; Rakan, seated on a rock; Monju on elephant; two children with Hotei's bag
- 3 An interesting lot: wood, Chokwaro Sennin; Ashinaga and Tenaga; ivory, Gama Sennin; child, bag and dog; ivory, group of shells
- 4 Six, *ivory*, the Lion Rakan; a horse, Chinese with child and ball; *wood*, old man; toy fish; Bekkako 6
- 5 Four, bone, boy with pet rat; ivory, boy on banana leaf; Rakan with lion; old wood, Saigyo Hoshi by Masayuki 4
- 6 Four, ivory, a big sparrow; Chinese scene, openwork; wood, finely carved Ono no Komachi, signed: Masahiro; tortoise shell, very quaint piece, a fisherman with creel on back, holding a saké cup and jar
- 7 Five, *ivory*, Shoki with Oni on his hat, tall piece; quaint figure of Fukurokujiu; Oni holding the tide-ruling gems; *wood*, Jurojin with Hotei's bag, Hotei asleep, signed: *Giokuzan*

- 8 Five, *ivory*, old figure of Hotei exorcising the devils with peas;
 Manju, the three mystic apes; Sambaso dancer; wood,
 Tanuki with jar; Gama Sennin

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- 9 Four, wood, Tekkai Sennin; ivory, a cat; a devil; Hotei and his bag 4
- 10 Five, ivory, old sage with longevity staff; Shishi seal; monkey, by Masatsugu; two children musicians; wood, Sennin with gourd 5
- 11 Four Sennins, ivory, Kanzan, Gama, Kansu with prawn, and a finely carved old Sennin with child

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- 12 Five, wood, tiger, signed: Shugetsu; child with mask; puppy asleep; ivory, monkey with melon; pressed horn, Chinese moonlight scene on a river, signed: Reikado 5
- 13 Five, *ivory*, Shoki; dog on seal; three tigers, rat on umbrella; wood, child with Okamé mask 5
- 14 Six, wood, a fish; group of mushrooms; story of Shiba-Onko; child with devil's mask; ivory, monkey with peach; tall figure of Kwanyu 6
- 15 Four, **Gods of Luck,** Fukurokujiu; Hotei (wood), signed:
 "Hotei," on a bag inscribed Fukurokujiu; Daikoku and
 Benten, ivory; wood, fine figure of Daikoku with bale of rice
- 16 Four, ivory, **a fine figure** of Sarumawashi, monkey showman; ebony, two rats on a gourd; wood, **a remarkably well modelled horse**; wood, mythical figure, such as were used to decorate the handles of Malay kris
- 17 Five, wood, a Sennin; small horse; two puppies; ivory, shell, tortoise and crab; boys and bag 5
- 18 Five, *ivory*, monkey and crab (story); quaint Chinese woman with basket; dog; *wood*, the story **Kuzunoha** (fox mother with baby, *rare subject*); Karashishi and peony on rock 5
- 19 Five, ivory, monkey with young and persimmon, signed:

 Tomotada; rabbit and moon in the clouds, signed:

 Masahiro; Hotei laughing with bag on his head; Manju,
 three monkeys at play, signed: Masaaki; wood, finely
 carved Kilin, with dragon-like whiskers and soft horn flattened on the mane, curious piece, signed: Masanao 5

- 20 Five, *ivory*, Karashishi and ball; monkey and young; priest seated on bag; child playing with a dog, signed: Rankwa; children with Kagura drum and mask 5
- 21 Five, *ivory*, the paragon of filial virtue, Kwakkio; child and plum tree; Choryo receiving the book of tactics from Kosekiko; acorns and Gingko nuts, one carved with a landscape, spider on top by *Mitsuho*; Tekkai Sennin standing
- 22 Five, *ivory*, Chinaman; monkeys eating peaches; *wood*, Shojo in wine vessel; old Sennin; dog asleep on palm leaf fan 5
- 23 Five, *ivory*, figure of Kato kiyomasa in a play; *wood*, cat asleep on fan: frog; spirited figure of a mask carver making a Tengu mask, signed: *Giokutei*; Daruma seated 5
- 24 Five, *ivory*, two quails on millet; Hotei with bag on his head; monkey showman; child doing Bekkako with a Hannya mask; Urashima Taro, signed: *Hidemasa* 5
- 25 Four, *ivory*, Chajin asleep; Hotei asleep (full of expression); puppy and flat fish; wood, story of the Badger tea kettle 4
- 26 Five, ivory, Chinese mother and child playing; child with mask; child, dog and bag; wood, the 100 gourds, signed: Washin, at the age of 65; old Mochi maker with mortar

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- 27 Four, ivory, Fukurokujiu; Kwanyu, signed: Hidemasa; wood, Tekkai Sennin; horse
- 28 Five, *ivory*, cow and calf; signed: *Tomotada*; Hotei and child; carrier with bundle on his shoulders; *wood*, Fukusuké; Shishimai dancer, the signature worn out

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- 29 Five, *ivory*, Karashishi and ball; Chinaman suddenly waking up (perhaps Rosei's dream; very fat Gama Sennin; *wood*, group of nuts; octopus on trumpet shell 5
- 30 Five, *ivory*, Chajin asleep; monkey showman, signed: *Masa mori*; bamboo shoot; *wood*, monkey and young with nuts; Rosei, signed: Tazan 5
- 31 Six, ivory, Genjoraku mask, signed: Masayuki; group of twelve No masks; bitch and puppies; fine figure of Sennin with Shishi, signed: Tomotada; wood, a man seated, and amusing figure of Jurojin with Tama, signature illegible, but interesting piece dated Kayei (circa 1853)

- 32 Five, ivory, Shishi on bag; Kagura dancer; three children at play, signed: Nobukazu; Okamé yawning, signed: Masakazu; wood, child with fan' 5
- 33 Five, ivory, Hotei and child, signed: Okakoto; cat on a suribachi; wood, mask box with mask of a young man; dog; Shojo with big cup
- 34 Four, wood, very curious Daikoku, seated on a bag, curled like a snail shell; child with buffalo; dog on stand, signed:

 Masakazu; Kagura dancer

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- 35 Five, *ivory*, curious theatrical scene, a player of Shakuhachi stops an old man; group of painter's seals; *wood*, a Shojo waking up, signed: *Giokko*; and another asleep, signed: *Seizan*; rat on a basket filled with mushrooms
- 36 Six, ivory, Fukurokujiu and child; wood, Chinaman, snake and frog on lotus leaf; Benkei on the trumpet shell; blind man lifting a stone; quaint Daikoku with hollow bag and two rice bales
- 37 Five, *ivory*, four children playing Shakkyo; Chinese with broom; wood, a Karashishi man with seaweed on tray; rabbit 5
- 38 Four, *ivory*, Gama Sennin; another with gourd; Tekkai; foreigner with child 4
- 39 Five, *ivory*, two tortoises; rats and melon, *fine piece*; *wood*, Hotei, child and Takaramono; children wtih snowball; man whose loin cloth has been caught by a clam, signed: *Giokusai*5
- 40 Five, ivory, Gama Sennin; Hotei; old Chinese with dog; wood, **Shoki** caught by a devil; Hotei with bag on his head 5
- 41 Five, ivory, Hotei with bag; a goat; **Yujo** stabbing the King's cloak; wood, blind man with stone, signed: Giokutei; wood, an old pilgrim, standing on one leg 3
- 42 Five, *ivory*, a drunkard; rat, signed: *Hiakuriu*; *wood*, a seaweed eater; old man dressing a mill stone; boy coming from the Saké shop

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- 43 Four, *ivory*, Tobosaku; Karashishi and ball; monkey and Namazu; two Karashishi, seal form 4

- 44 Six, wood, good **Saigyo Hoshi**; man with inscribed fan, signed:

 Masayuki; monkey eating; ivory, Sennin with pet monkey;

 monkey eating a persimmon, signed: Ransui; Hotei on bag

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- 45 Six, wood, dancing pilgrims, signed: Giokusai; boar on litter of leaves; woodcutter asleep on banana leaf; Shojo asleep; ivory, oni and arm of the Rachomon devil; snarling tiger 6
- 46 Six, wood, Samurai servant eating; ivory, devil with wind bag; Gama Sennin; Karashishi and ball; Fukurokujiu and child; and another, Gama Sennin
- 47 Five, wood, devil drinking; ivory, two cows; large horse; Kappa with bale of fish; Chinese child and dog 5
- 48 Four, *ivory*, Hotei asleep; Shinto Kannushi, signed: *Hidemasa*; child playing with drum; Shishi 4
- 49 Five, *ivory*, a monkey showman; *wood*, boy flutist on a buffalo; frog; Chinese child; group of arbours in a wood 5
- 50 Five, ivory, dog and gêta; Gama Sennin; Hotei; wood, monkey and young, signed: Tomotada; child riding a buffalo 5
- 51 Five, *ivory*, Hotei (*seal*); story of Shiba Onko, signed: San Raku; Chinaman with two children; cowherd with ox; old man with long hair, seated 5
- 52 Five, bone, a Shojo; wood, Benwa with the gem; man breaking hard mochi; noble holding his Kammuri in his lap, signed:

 Masayuki; mare and foal, fine piece, signed: Kokei (on the hind leg)

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- 53 Five, ivory, an old Sennin; two Karashishi at play; wood, peasant hiding his saké bottle under a basket, signed: Tame-kazu; monkey showman asleep, signed: Tomotada; three masks, Mambi, Hannya, Otobidé
- 54 Six, wood, Hotei, signed: Masakazu; diver caught by the loin cloth; old man with the toothache; squirrels and vine, signed: Tamekazu; ivory, cow; peasant asleep 6
- 55 Six, ivory, Hotei and child playing with a mask of Okamé; old warrior seated; wood, a monkey; tradesman beginning an account book; drunkard drinking saké; Shishi mask for Kagura dance; Fine oni hiding under a hat from the shower of peas, signed: Masamitsu (on the leg)

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- 56 Three cases, fundamé with giobu, the tongue cut sparrow, signed:

 Minsetsu; three cases, black, takamakiyé, either the extremely rare story of Kyoseigan or that of Bashiko (see illustration)
- 57 Four cases, black flecked gold, pine tree, flat gold; red, rubbed with gold and colour, dragons and horses in relief; four cases, black and gold, cherry and bamboo, much rubbed 3
- 58 Four cases, black, Hotei and old hat, gold takamakiyé after Hanabusa Icho; four cases, nashiji and gold horse trappings; four cases, red cloth mesh ground, dragons and clouds in relief
- 59 Four cases, green gold, curtain and Aoi in relief, emblematic design. Four cases, black, curious design, gold, toy men and horse made of straw. Four cases, black and gold takamakiyé bamboo and plum tree
- 60 Four cases, gold and togidashi in circular reserves, two views of Omi: Bridge and Ishiyama dera. Four cases, red, gold takamakiyé owl on pine tree
- 61 Dull gold single case, herbs of autumn, à la Korin, netsuké, a mill stone: wood, with copper plate inlaid, rat and besom. Four cases, green gold fundamé, cock, mats and chrysanthemum 2
- 62 Four cases, nashiji with Hiramé border, arrows and paraphernalia of archery in relief, *fine piece*. Four cases, small, pine trees by the sea shore
- 63 Four cases, black with clouded gold nashiji, dove (gold), on a camellia in flower, signed: Kwanshosai, with netsuké tsuichu lacquer, a Chinese stand, carved with Chinese sage 1
- 64 Four cases, old *nashiji* with Howo and paulownia tree, gold *taka-makiyé*. Four cases, black, a badger, wine bottle and bewitched hut, *takamakiyé* with pearl and pewter 2
- 65 Four cases, black with eagle, gold on *hiramé* slope under a tree from which a sparrow flies away, azalea beneath. Three cases with inner compartment, peculiar shape, *rogin* lacquer with fruit and leaves *takamakiyé* in colours

- 66 Four cases, black and gold, two noblemen, cryptomeria and Torii, à la Korin. Four cases, black and gold, design emblematic of the story of Tawara Toda (see illustration) 2
- 67 Four cases, black, Oharamé, red and pearl. Four cases, reddishbrown, poudré gold, Chinese landscape 26
- 68 Three cases, black, with praying mantis and disk of the moon, relief and pewter. Single case, black, with hedge in gold hiramakiyé. Four cases, old rogin lacquer with Buri Buri and wild pinks, takamakiyé, signed: Kwanshosai, copper ojimé
- 69 Four cases, flat green gold, with thatched house and high ricks, gold. Four cases, black, Howo and paulownia, takamakiyé, gold Hiomon and aogai, agate ojimé 2
- 70 Three cases, plain wood with new year's Shimenawa, gold and colour, signed: Koma Kiuhaku. Three cases, black flecked with gold, Gosho Kuruma in relief * 2
- 71 Single case with inner tray, black with pine tree, gold togidashi.

 Four cases, black with horses and pine trees, gold togidashi.

 and flat relief

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- 72 Two cases, black with gold decoration, peasants towing a boat.

 Four cases, red nashiji, tea ceremony utensils in gold takamakiyé (see illustration)

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- 73 Three cases, black and gold *Hiramakiyé*, a boar asleep in autumn grasses. Four cases, *takamakiyé* on *nashiji*; a gourd vine, hanaiké ojimé, loquat netsuké ivory 2
- 74 Four cases on sheath, brown lacquer with gold togidashi design, servant girl with letter case, chrysanthemum and fence, signed: Kajikawa, Daruma ojimé by Masateru. Single case, carved wood, story of Kioyu and Sofu, signed: Yoshitoyo 2
- 75 Five cases, gold lacquer with Bugaku helmet and musical instruments, takamakiyé and plated plum flowers. Single case, red with dragon in aogai, tray inside, chalcedony ojimé, carved nut netsuké 2
- 76 Four cases, black, with gold and silver togidashi herbs of autumn and boar in moonlight; ivory ojimé, ivory netsuké, chrysanthemum, signed: Doraku. Two cases, red, peachshape with monkeys and peach tree

- 77 Single case with long flat tray inside, scarce shape, design emblematic of Kioyu and Sofu (ox and waterfall), umimatsu ojimé. Three cases, natural wood with Kaki and knife in takamakiyé

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- 78 Three cases, black, with owl on a stand, takamakiyé; signed:

 Tadamitsu, ojimé Chinese scene, netsuké chrysanthemum.

 Four cases, brown with coarse nashiji, plum tree, gold lacquer

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- 79 Five cases, fine gold nashiji, two peacocks, gold takamakiyé, signed: Kajikawa, glass bead, fan-shaped wood netsuké, inlaid with peony. Seven cases, black; Thunder god in clouds, monkey closing his ears in the shelter of rocks below, good work (see illustration)
- 80 Four cases, gold lacquer, the battle of Ichinotani. Five cases, gold lacquer, horses and cherry trees, both takamakiyé 2
- 81 Four cases, thick fundamé with horses in relief, lacquer, horn and tortoise-shell, jadeite bead. Single case, black, shaped like a pillow, with rebus decoration on one side, Nanten and character Baku, to drive away devils on the other, Onit-suta and pine needles enclosing the character Chiyo (name of a Jöro) (see illustration)
- 82 Three cases, *Tsuichu*, Chinese sages and attendant in conventional garden. Four cases, black and gold, rice harvest, much rubbed 2
- 83 Five cases, black, with clouds of gold, herbs of autumn on raised gold. Two cases, black with gold decoration, cock on drum, and bamboo curtain. Three cases, black, birds and rice sheaf, *Karakusa* sides and ends gold

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- 84 Three cases, *nashiji* with *giobu* spots, archery implements, hat and fan, gold lacquer. Five cases, black and gold, polished ground with a number of fans in flat relief, glass ojimé 2
- 85 Three cases, nashiji with Kusudama in relief, gold, silver and red, signed: Jokwasai. Five cases, gold, curtain hitched on to maple trees for a picnic, low relief gold 2
- 86 Four cases, green-gold, with bird cage, kakemono, and arrangement of camellia, in red gold. Three cases, black, fishing nets and Jakago gold, props aogai. Four cases, black, Hotei and his bag, gold, staff aogai, signed: Makiyeshi Ichidaiyu

- 87 Four cases, black with gold togidashi, aogai inlay and raised design of deer in a maple forest, drinking from a leaf strewn brook, characters inlaid gold to complete a poem in Ashidé; style, curious and interesting. Four cases, black, with reclining cranes, takamakiyé and aogai (see illustration)
- 88 Four cases, old inro with Samé ends and sides, dragon in clouds, design takamakiyé. Four cases, old inro, with inlaid metal figures, story of Kioyu and Sofu 2
- 89 Four cases, green, *Kinji* with pine, plum tree and cranes in slightly raised gold. Five cases, poudré gold ground with fans in gold lacquer 2
- 90 Four cases, black, clouded with go d, house in relief under weeping willow, chick in bamboo grass, signed: *Yoyusai*. Four cases, gold ground, Gosho Kuruma and fireflies in autumn, amber bead
- 91 Four cases, yasuriko nashiji musical instruments in gold Hiramakiyé. Four cases, poudré gold ground, the Seven Sages in the bamboo grove, raised gold and togidashi (see illustration)
- 92 Four cases, black with raised design, men admiring the moon in summer, on the banks of a river, signed: Chikanao.

 Black, three cases, monkey pulling the basket of a Yamabushi. Three cases, togidashi of gold, nashiji and silver, peonies and butterfly, signed: Tovo; agate ojimé 3

Suzuri Bako.

- 93 Black lacquer with design on togidashi in colour, of a young boy trying to catch a dragon fly (inside lid); inside clouded with gold, a fine piece of colour (see illustration) 1
- 94 Old square writing case, nashiji on black ground with raised design of Koreijin, his attendant and a tiger under pine tree, inside bamboo and sparrows, water plants on trays, pewter rims (see illustration)
- 95 Black flecked with gold, *togidashi* design of bird on dead tree, peony in front, under the lid, dandelion *togidashi* on *nashiji* 1.

- 96 Rich gold ground inlaid with mother-of-pearl, iris in centre, plum karakusa, all round and inside tray, inside of lid silver nashiji, chrysanthemum mizuiré, enamelled, silver rims
- 97 Large size, Zokoku lacquer, Ariwara no Narihira on the bank of the Kamo Gawa strewn with red maple leaves, subject of his famous poem, Nashiji inside (no mizuiré)
- 98 Small, gold ground with Aogai inlay, design of wild geese and a stream, Kingin nashiji inside
- 99 Flecked gold on black ground, cock, hen and chicks under bamboo, takamakiyé gold, inside chrysanthemum and herbs of autumn on togidashi ground
- 100 A splendid specimen, Shitan wood carved with a pine tree, covered with snow; on the branch is perched a hawk, watching the scene disclosed inside (gold takamakiyé, inlaid eyes), signed on the lid: Shoto. When the lid is now turned over side by side with the box, a magnificent landscape of snow-clad mountains, rising in silver togidashi on a nashiji ground, forms the background, over which stretch the trunk and branches of the same pine tree, in relief, gently touched with green, and heavily charged with snow. Two sparrows in flight complete the composition. The effect of driven snow is enhanced by a clever use of aogai and gold fundamé togidashi. Silver mizuiré with shakudô inlay, heraldic type, originally from the G. H. H[odgson] collection, No. 1243 (see illustration)
- 101 Black ground, with a figure of Botankwa Shohaku riding his ox backwards, takamakiyé in gold and colour
- Giobu on black ground, with green edges, a maple tree with red leaves on the bough of which is perched a small bird, takamakiyé, inside shikishi. reels of silk, mulberry leaves, &c., all emblematic of the Tanabata festival, raised coloured lacquer, mizuiré, double shippo (see illustration)
- 103 Black, with rock and gnarled plum tree in raised lacquer, gold, inside cormorant perched on a rock above a breaking wave, takamakiyé of gold and silver

13 First Day

- Black lacquer with gold decoration, allusion to Nô Matsukaze, the two lovers seated on the beach near the salt-making huts, sheltered by a rock on which grows a cherry tree (see illustration)
- 105 Black lacquer with togidashi pine tree on which is poised a hawk, slightly raised work of fine quality, Yasuriko nashiji inside, enamelled mizuiré (see illustration)
- 106 Black ground flecked with gold, conventional landscape in takamakiyé of gold, rocks with trees, old temple, small huts by the sea-shore, &c., inside three crests of mitsuboshi in circle (see illustration)
- 107 Black ground, inlaid with mother-of-pearl in Thirteenth Century style, a miniature mount Horai in a reserve surrounded with diaper. Inside, shochikabai, gold on muranashiji, melon, mizuiré, the inkstone inscribed: Genuine Takashima, stone with tiger spots
- 108 Black lacquer with plum tree, gold and mother-of-pearl, inside chidori in flight, outlined in gold, School of Koyetsu 1
- 109 Large, square, nashiji, with pine tree, orange, cranes and minogamé in gold and silver, inkstone by Nakamura Chohei, inscribed: Stone of Heaven and Earth
- 110 A very curious piece representing the arrival of a Chinese Envoy, raised lacquer in high relief on black ground, rich design. Inside, the arrival of the three foreign vessels in a bay is depicted in togidashi, mura nashiji around inkstone, brass mizuiré in the shape of a boat loaded with firewood (see illustration)
- Narrow shape, black with cat and peony in silver and gold raised, inside herbs of autumn, gold on nashiji, copper *mizuiré*, melon shape
- 112 Large size, black with bird cage in raised gold lacquer, containing three quails, togidashi. Inside, herbs of autumn and brush fence, gold raised and togidashi, silver mizuiré crescent moon
- 113 Nashiji, with chrysanthemum and patrima on the sides of a stream, gold *takamakiyé* with mother-of-pearl inlay, inside a stag, and butterflies on *yasuriko* ground

Boxes for Suzuri Bako (without fittings).

- 114 Nashiji of brown colour inlaid with *Yotsubishi* lozengular crests and pieces of mother-of-pearl, decorated with gold *tsuta*, inside chrysanthemum
- 115 Old black lacquer of great age, on a verandah a court lady and a young man warm their hands over a brasero, in the garden below, three ladies make a large snowball near evergreen trees; inside flowers of autumn, gold on black ground. This box was originally pewter nashiji lacquer where the surface of the lid is now rough with age (see illustration)
- 116 Black lacquer in the style of Koyetsu, two rabbits (pewter) frolicing amongst scouring grass (mother-of-pearl), inside, pine tree, togidashi of gold on black ground

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- 117 Black ground decorated with *aogai* inlay, a covered bridge between two hills, above a rapid stream, shaded by big trees 1
- Plaited bamboo box with decoration in very high relief, a frog on a red lotus, very decorative piece in rich colours (see illustration)

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- An old Suzuribako, the fittings lost, rich nashiji ground, takamakiyé design, a pheasant on a rock; inside, lake arbour at the end of a pier, in the moonlight (see illustration)
- 120 Nashiji ground with decoration of plum tree in bloom, takamakiyé with silver flowers, over softly elongated waves, frog on a rock, inside yasuriko, the moon in the sky somewhat damaged with age
- 121 Black lacquer with mura nashiji inside, bold decoration of plum tree beginning to bloom, from a Korin design

Lacquer Boxes.

122 Large paper box, "Ryoshi Bunko," entirely covered with uogai, i.e., green mother-of-pearl powder rubbed flat, decorated in relief with a runaway buffalo which a small cowherd attempts to restrain, overhead; a long branch delicately limned in gold, with fern-like "shinobu" leaves gracefully sweeping downwards. Powerful design full of life and humour

- 129 Another **Ryoshi Bunko** of large size, rich black lacquer decorated in pottery with a stag seen from behind, the head erect, and a doe looking on; very fine piece of colour, inscribed Design of Ogata Korin; Uranshi Ritsuo, with two pottery seals, Kwan and Korin
- 130 Another **Bunko**, black lacquer, inlaid with mother-of-pearl, Bukan Zenshi, his tiger and the two mad Sennin, forming the scene called "The Four Sleepers," under a plum tree and a willow, very fine specimen 1
- 13! **Suzuri Bako**, black lacquer, on a golden slope, under a maple a black horse neighing, all raised lacquer in fine style. Inside on a nashiji ground, two men guide timber rafts through some rapids, pine tree on the shore, signed: Shiomi Masanari
- Gold lacquer **Suzuri Bako**, exquisitely decorated with open books in raised lacquer and togidashi, showing the flowers of the various months, and poetical allusions (one of the books is marked *Kokinshu*) disclosing a ground of *Giobu nashiji*. Inside, flowers of autumn in gold *togidashi* on black ground speckled with gold, the *mizuiré* silver, maple and oak leaves, *charmingly delicate specimen of perfect technique* (see illustration)
- 133 Deep box with inner tray, black lacquer with silver and gold nasaiji decorated with a cock on gold takamakiyé, and inside with the ceremonial strings called Mizuhiki, fine piece, signed with Kovetsu's seal (see illustration)
- Old mirror box with pewter rims, decorated on *nashiji* ground with fans, and inside with shells, a piece of great age (see illustration)
- 135 Another mirror box, *yasuriko* on black ground decorated with pine tree and camellia. Inside lined brocade, pewter rims 1
- 136 Very large Tsuichu lacquer box of the flattened globular type, lavishly decorated with peonies on a diaper field, remarkable specimen (see illustration)

- Another uncommon piece of Tsuichu lacquer in the shape of a cylinder and a square prism entering one another, decorated in incised designs with Chinese sages and their attendants, on Chinese landscapes, on the top and on four curved side panels, the sky and sea deep green lacquer incised in minute diaper. On the eight panels left of the square prism are inscribed *Shu* characters in 96 styles. *Inside tray* with gilt edges (see illustration)
- Hexagonal box with re-entrant angles and curved sides, **Tsuichu** lacquer, with diaper ground and peonies in relief
- 139 Square box **Tsuichu** lacquer, with swastika diaper and cloud pattern charged with an archaic character Wu, and a small oval box, black lacquer with nashiji inside, decorated with clematis in gold

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- 140 Oval box of **Tsuichu** lacquer, hexagonal diaper ground, decorated with a Chinese sage watching the smoke issuing from an incense burner (see illustration)
- 141 Chinese cabinet, **Tsuichu**, Asanoha diaper ground, inlaid with jade bats, Shu and conventional flower, three cases inside, brass handle and lock
- 142 Chinese box, shaped like a stand, red lacquer, painted in colours with a conventional scene on the banks of a river, people visiting and gathering fruit, mark: Kwanjiki
- 143 Chinese clothes box, shaped as a stand with intermediate frame, lacquered black all over and painted in colours with lotus and birds, single cyclical date inside and inscribed: Bungiokurin finished this (Shu)
- 144 Chinese box, black lacquer, inlaid with some thirty-six figures in ivory, and an even larger number of plants and animals, clouds, rocks, &c., the subjects being the offering of gifts to some high personage, men riding, playing Go, &c., &c., hinges and hasp, all complete
- 145 A similar box with continuation of the above scheme of decoration 1
- 146 A smaller box, same technique, apparently some woman being cross-examined by an official

- 147 Chinese lacquer, black with design in red, gold and mother-ofpearl inlay, on one side a monumental door, on the other a pagoda of four storeys, crowded with small figures inside a tray and cover. The shape of this box is that of a large inro with the joint across the middle of the bottom, the side risers as it were being covered with a Chinese inscription 1
- 148 Long box with inner tray, rich Giobu Hiramé ground, decorated with tsuba, Kozuka, inro and netsuké in high relief lacquer of various colour, inside mura nashiji, a beautiful and decorative box
- 149 Box with inner tray nashiji decorated in gold hiramakiyé with maple leaves; inside wild pink, dragon flies and plum, same technique
- 150 Ancient box for chanoyu implements, gold and silver decoration on ground of black flecked with gold, cherry trees in bloom and water wheel on a riverside
- Smaller box for same purpose, brown ground with silver nashiji, peasants towing a boat filled with firewood, old gold 1
- Large box carved with peonies in relief, lacquered in colours, the spaces fundamé; inside nashiji, metal rims
- 153 Old box for tea ceremony implements, nashiji with landscape in takamakiyé, gold 1
- 154 Large box, nashiji with the "Yatsuhashi" decoration of plank bridge in an iris swamp, gold in relief, similar design in inner tray (see illustration)
- 155 **Short Sword** fitted inside a sham fan, nashiji decorated with sun in clouds and stars of war. Blade by Gessan Sadakazu, made in 1868, and so described on the tang, fully signed with Kakihan and seal
- Box, a tray with deep lid, brownish-black lacquer with Karakusa on mother-of-pearl. Another, narrow, deep black lacquer with plum tree on mother-of-pearl 2
- 157 Box, brown lacquer with dragon flies in gold and pewter. Another old black lacquer with peony karakusa in gold 2
- Box in two tiers, giobu Hiramé decorated in relief with bamboo curtain, standing screens, clothes horse, &c., nashiji inside 1

- 159 Letter box, "Fubako" black with decoration of pheasant and peacock feathers in togidashi, nashiji inside
- 160 Large old box of natural wood for papers, decorated in high relief with hollyhock and quail, wood, stained ivory, pearl, &c., effective design
- 161 Box, black lacquer, with design of shells, butterflies, crests, flowers, &c., in aogai, same inside on loose tray; and a cylindrical box for tea jar, decorated with plum flowers in gold, shell, &c.
- 162 Oblong box, black lacquer flecked with gold dust, large moon in silver lacquer, partly hidden by herbs of autumn, nasihji inside. Another, cylindrical, gold ground with conventional chrysanthemum designs aogai

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- Rosewood box, nashiji inside, decorated outside with boatman punting a boatload of firewood amongst reeds, "Korin" design
- Black lacquer box in two tiers, decorated with gold fishes in togidashi of red and gold, covered with a net of gold on a stand of Somada inlay, rich yasuriko nashiji inside. Inner tray with giobu Hiramé edge, decorated in togidashi with two ducks in a swamp behind a tuft of iris in bloom, one of the ducks is diving after tiny fishes, exquisite technique
- 165 Box with deep lid decorated with repeated design of *paulownia*, on nashiji ground. Another, nashiji flecked with shreds of gold and silver leaf, decorated with mandarin ducks in relief, peasant in a boat, &c., gold 2
- 166 Large box with inner tray, probably once a *Suzuri bako*, black lacquer, with shells inlaid pewter and mother-of-pearl stream lines gold, style of Koyetsu

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- 167 Natural wood, decorated with Warabi, in gold and pewter, from a Korin design. Another, black lacquer, in the shape of a love knot, decorated with chrysanthemum in relief in colour, "mitsuda lacquer"
- Small cabinet, natural wood with upper tray and four drawers, decorated in raised lacquer with peony flowers and butter-flies, gold, the handles chased silver butterflies, pretty piece (see illustration)

- 169 Tray, the bottom very ancient style of lacquer, black with design of Chinese people and a dog on black ground 1
- 170 Tray, decorated on black ground with a silver fan, painted with a pine, gold *togidashi*, border of *paulownia*, crest gold, round the edge
- 171 Another tray, same technique, two designs of tortoise and bamboo respectively, on silver ground 1

Combs.

- 172 Four, one glass, one ivory, carved with carp and waves, signed: *Teimin*; one gold lacquer, one wood with lespedeza gold 4
- 173 Three, one chinkinbori, peonies, one lacquered, sumiyé, allusion to the Genji monojatari, one ivory with kiku 3
- 174 Four, one carved wood lacquered, one gold lacquer with cuckoo and moon, long poetical inscription, one ivory carved and lacquered, signed: Joshin; one gold lacquer, with sparrow and plant in relief
- Four, one box wood with narcissus, gold lacquer, one light tortoiseshell with floral design, gold lacquer, another darker tortoise-shell with brocade crests gold, one gold lacquer with cuckoo and moon, and cherries, coral
- 176 Four, one wood, red lacquer with brocade design gold, one gold lacquer with Sennins in cartouches, gold, one ivory carved with mon in gold lacquer, one tortoise-shell with butterflies gold, one ivory carved with flowers, signed: Kincho 4
- 177 Four, one wood carved and lacquered, another with Fuji and landscape, another with *Tsuta* carved and lacquered in colour, *Zokoku* style, another with fans and *kikusu*:

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- 178 Five, one horn with bamboo, one *kamakura bori*, red, two carved ivory, one tortoise-shell with birds, rabbits, butterflies, *shinobu*, gold lacquer 5
- 179 Large deep nashiji tray with three masks in relief, Genjoraku, Hannya and Jo. These very large trays were used to receive kimono and other clothing ready to be put on for dances, or when removed by a guest, remarkable piece

- 180 Another tray, for similar purposes, black lacquer flecked with gold, decorated with a host of butterflies in togidashi and relief, gold with natural colours, again a choice specimen (edge slightly chipped)
- 181 Oblong stand, black lacquer decorated with a bean plant in gold relief, on the top two fans, one with white heron under a willow, the other with landscape on a lake side, raised lacquer and togidashi
 - 182 Another stand, oblong, black lacquer with aogai design of weeping willow
 - 183 Square stand, dark nashiji with pine and camellia in flat gold lacquer. And a decorative plate lacquered wood with pewter rims, inlaid with shells in lacquer and pottery in relief
 - 184 A vase, wood, lacquered with aogai hiramé chrysanthemum inlaid; same technique; and a Chinese ivory brush stand engraved with a conventional scene in the mountains

Smaller Lacquer Boxes.

- 185 Two mirror boxes, one very old, square, with pewter rims, gold flecked black ground, with tree in bloom, gold; another, circular, with chidori and waves inside; outside gold takamakiye of hills and trees surrounded by waves (see illustration)
- 186 Two more, one with *kikyo* flowers in bloom, takamakiye, inside *nashiji*; another, black with aogai peony, gold karakusa, wild geese and reeds (*see illustration*)

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- 187 Old gold lacquer *kogo*, mandarin ducks in relief, pewter rim, sagittaria inside; another roughly lacquered wood; another flat box, with tsuba design in relief, inscribed *Ritsuo* 3
- Box in the shape of two mandarin ducks in water, gold lacquer in relief, fine specimen (see illustration) 1
- 189 Two old kogo, one circular nashiji with orange and pine trees inside and out; another, oblong, with gold ground Horai san design, the pine tree and shells in relief, chidori in flight inside

190	Quaint covered vessel, with plum tree in bloom, modelled is	n relief
	all over in raised lacquer, and small kogo, wood, lac	quered
	in colour	2

- 191 Two kogo, one circular with Bugaku helmet and maple leaves raised gold on Yasuriko, the other oblong, paulownia badge decoration repeated all over, togidashi on yasuriko ground (see illustration)
- 192 Natsumé, wood with shochikubai in relief, lacquer and pewter; tea-box, black lacquer, with moon and plum tree, after Koyetsu 2
- 193 Two natsumé, one gold ground with two deers and maple leaves, after Korin, one black lacquer with chrysanthemum, gold, in low relief
- 194 Two kogo, one very pretty piece in the shape of a mandarin duck, lacquer and mother-of-pearl, the other Hotei on lotus stand 2
- 195 Delicately decorated box in the shape of the book "Ko Kin" rafts and maple leaves, gold lacquer, inside *chidori* and *tsuta* on nashiji, and a smaller piece, cherry blossom on waves, gold and silver on green, gold ground (*see illustration*)
- 196 Natsumé, black ground with shimenawa and pine trees, gold lacquer, and a chaire, powdered gold on black huts and pine trees in flat, gold, chidori in flight on lid

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- 197 Gold lacquer box, in the shape of a cock (see 'llustration) 1
- 198 Mitsuda lacquer, old kogo in the shape of a duck
- 199 Letter case, natural wood decorated with bamboo gold lacquer, nashiji inside; gold lacquer cup with crest of the Awase family, signed: Shigenori 2
- 200 Fancy box in the shape of two squares, piles of *shikishi* entering one another togidashi and gold lacquer with lespedeza design, *good piece*, and an oval box, Fuji seen behind a rock, signed:

 Suirakusui

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- 201 Tea jar, *yasuriko* ground on black lacquer, decorated with fans, each with poetical allusions, and an old kogo, nashiji, decorated with pine and orange, and a crest of Itakura, *togidashi* 2

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and shell

- Natsumé, natural wood with transparent lacquer, shells gold, 202and a small Jubako in two tiers, decorated with rice and praying mantis, gold on yasuriko ground Small kogo in the shape of a badger, beating his belly; small box, mitsuda lacquer, Chinese emblems, circular kogo, gold and pewter lacquer, in imitation of a Korin design; old Kamakura bori box, red and black 204 Circular lacquer box, black with convolvulus design in gold; natsumé black lacquer with pine decoration, gold 205 Old circular kogo, pine bamboo, crane tortoise in raised gold on nashiji; and another larger box, black with chrysanthemum, gold 206 Kogo, peach-shaped, gold lacquer of very fine quality, tinged with 207 Gold lacquer box, with swallow over wave, high relief in black and gold, and small fan-shaped kogo, gold lacquer with chidori in flight on yasuriko 208 Gold lacquer box, of fine quality in the shape of a peach 1 209 Four small kogo, nashiji with kanoko effect, shells, gold and black orange with crested brocade; Giobu, circular with aster and patrinia, gold; Hiramé with peony, gold 210Three more, camellia flower, gold, chrysanthemum and fence on nashiji, gold dragon on nashiji 211 Two, black lacquer with gold togidashi designs, chrysanthemum and wistaria, to which is tied a love-letter, pewter rims 2 Two more, chrysanthemums, gold lacquer and shell, togidashi 212 work gold and aogai, with waves and chidori 2 213 Two more, one gold lacquer with cranes in relief, and togidashi; another black with gold karakusa
- 215 Octagonal box, Zonsei style, with Reishi and magatama inlaid; and a circular gold lacquer box, wheels and waves, fine piece

Natsumé, and two circular tea boxes, Korin designs, gold pewter

First Day

216	Circular box, b	olack lacqu	er with wild	pinks in	gold, and	a flat
	natsum é,	very rich	nashiji, wit	h musical	instrume	nts in
	relief					2

- 217 Box, Tsugaru lacquer, red, yellow and black, nashiji inside, and square kogo nashiji, with pine and orange in relief 2
- 218 Circular flat box, black lacquer with wheels, aogai and waves, gold; and natsumé, nashiji with herbs of autumn, inside maples in autumn
- 219 Kogo, chrysanthemum, gold on *nashiji*, pewter rims; and *natsumé*, similar design, gold on black 2
- 220 Black box with gold design, plum blossoms on cobweb, kogo, nashiji, with five crests, gold and silver of the lkegami family
- 221 Kogo, black with pine and emblems of longevity, gold crest, and a black box, circular, with Chinese and willow, painted Chinese lacquer
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- 222 Natsumé, black with Tokugawa crest, gold, and large Kogo, emblems of longevity, trees and crane on vasuriko 2
- 223 Large old kogo, black with gold waves, and *sudaré* curtains; another, circular, with decorated fans, gold lacquer, and mother-of-pearl inlay (*see illustration*)
- 224 Small *kogo* nashiri, with cherry tree, gold and silver; another dark ground with creeper, gold; another with Kiri and and *Kiku*, gold
- 225 Jubako Kogo, herbs of autumn on yasuriko ground; and another, nashiji and bamboo design, gold and silver 2
- 226 Natsumé, the Kamo river, covered with maple leaves, gold and brown on black, and another raised gold lacquer, willow on black ground

END OF FIRST DAY'S SALE.

SECOND DAY'S SALE.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5th, 1911,

AT 1.30 P.M. PRECISELY.

Bronzes and Metal Work.

227	A fine Bronze Figure of an old man, warming his left hand on a hibachi, and holding his pipe, decorative piece full of expression
228	Bronze bell, over eighteen inches high, fully inscribed
229	Articulated iron dragon, 28 inches long; signed: Miochin Kino Munesuké Nobuiye
230	Iron helmet, with the Satsuma crest, decorated with dragons in gold, very fine specimen
231	Another helmet, decorated with two Boddhisatiwas seated, gold lacquer, on ishimé ground
232	Hammered bronze gong with striker, dated Kwanyei, IVth year, 8th month, inscribed Jinsoin (name of temple), good piece, with deep lasting note
233	Mirror stand, in the shape of a Kirin, gilt bronze together with a mirror, the periphery of which was decorated with six bells (three now broken) (see illustration)
234	Old Chinese figure of a Chinese Boddhisatwa, on wood stand (Karashishi foot)

235 Japanese flower vase, chased with Howo and waves

236	Three Japanese pricket candlesticks, one in the shape of a lotule leaf; another openwork; another nearly two feet high	3
237	Japanese flower vase for "Ikebana" bronze, curved quadrilatera shape on four legs, each of the four sides decorated with dragon in relief on a ground of square diaper, signed Seimin of Japan in the year of Bunsei (1815)	а
238	Two pricket candlesticks, one conventional design of paulowni openwork, the other bamboo	a 2
239	Pair of old Chinese bronze figures, being a minister and his far bearer, still partly covered with paint and gold leaf (so illustration)	
240	Two pricket candlesticks, one openwork, and the other stork o tortoise	n 2
241	Canton enamel, two plaques, gourd shape, with the usual bats knots and other emblems, inscribed in red "Great luck"	5, 2
242	A fine old Chinese enamel ewer, tall piece, with lucky decoration in rich colours (see illustration)	1, 1
243	Chinese gong, suspended from a square frame of carved wood part gilt, complete with striker	l , 1
244	Bronze dog of Foh, very archaic piece, and Confucius seated on Kirin; the latter piece is a water vessel (mizuiré) for the writin table	
245	Brush washer, in the shape of Hotei seated on a bag; and smarwater vessel, a Chinese asleep on a low bed	11
246	Paper-weight; a crab on a $Jakago$; another piece, kirin	2
247	Figure of Kwannon seated on a rock, and paper-weight, a fox	2
248	Paper weight, a peasant in a raincoat, seated on a buffalo another, group of three tortoises on a muddy patch, signed Shinzan	
249	Paper-weight, two monkeys with a branch of mizuiré, Hote stretching himself; another in the shape of a casket	ei 3
25 0	Two figures of Kwanyin, one standing and one seated	2

251	Fancy brass box, the top decorated with a Chinese view in lacquer, night effect; model of Daikoku's lucky mallet, mokumé, with silver ends, rat on handle
252	Two Chinese mirrors, one of very great age, deeply patinated 2
253	Two more, one with character border, the other with monkeys and horses
254	Two more, one with character borders, the other quite plain 2
255	Three more, of great age, well patinated
256	Tall figure of Jiuichimen Kwannon, about four feet high, carved wood gilt, with stand and halo, an important piece
257	Marble figure of the Buddha, seated
258	Very curious stone carving, group of four monkeys standing on a pedestal shaped like three frogs, on top of the small monkeys stands a much bigger one, holding a stick; attached to his neck, is a chain with a padlock marked Wang (see illustration)
259	Carved wood gilt figure of Boddhisatwa, with large hips, big sleeves, and clinging robe, draped in numberless folds in the style of the 10th to 12th centuries
260	Delicately carved wooden figure of a Shojo with saké cup, lacquered with kikusui dress, gold, signed: Naohisa
261	Old mask of a devil, carved wood, painted, marked Roku; and figure of a Rakan, seated (Chinese or Burmese)

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- A fine tall baluster vase, blue and white, decorated with a mountain landscape, rock bridge and sampan on a river, highly decorative piece, with carved wood stand, Kanghsi or Chienlung, 19ins. high (see illustration)
- 263 Squat vessel with two small handles, whitish glaze "mutton fat," on carved wood stand, with Yin-Yang sign, the cover with alabaster knob, longevity peach, probably late ming 1

- 264 A tall bottle, dark cherry colour, self-coloured glaze of fine depth, with carved stand, Ch'ien lung period, 13 inches high
- 265 Egg-shaped pottery vase with narrow mouth, brown clay with greenish-blue stippled glaze, seal: Koming Hsiang Chi, 11 inches high
- A brush pot, Blanc de Chine, with peonies in relief, the rim flaring outwards, period Yung Cheng, 4½ inches high, with carved wooden stand (see illustration)
- 266A Pretty bowl of Ch'ien lung, porcelain, three elders on a terrace, sending messages on sticks to a distant island by means of cranes; Shu and bats inside, with carved wood stand 1
- 267 Beaker, decorated with children playing, also a personage attended by two youths, one of whom carries a Koto, wrapped up, 9 inches high
- Vase with globular body and narrow mouth, self-coloured "crushed strawberry" glaze, 10 inches high, on tall wooden stand 1
- 269 A fine Ming bowl, blue and white, stylised peony and scroll design, mark: Ta Ming Hsuan Te, with carved wood stand (see illustration)
- Wine vessel, ewer shape; Si Wang Mu with crane and stag, curious piece, Ch'ien lung, white glaze 1
- 271 **Tsuichu lacquer,** vide-poche, oblong with sloping sides carved in panels, with sages and attendants, the panels connected by peonies and karakusa
- 272 Ginger jar, large specimen, delicately decorated with five children playing, in green, rose, blue, yellow, etc., of subdued hues, Yung Chêng period, 9½ inches high, with carved wood cover and stand repaired
- 273 Large oval dish, decorated in colours with cocks, peony and cockscomb in flower, the edge with flowers and butter-flies, Ch'ien lung
- 274 Square tea jar, with decoration of personages on each of the four sides in colours, Yung Chêng, 5 inches high with cover and stand (see illustration)

- Pair of rice bowls, complete with covers, blue glaze, with Rinzu pattern impressed, Shu medallion, Ch'ien lung, carved wood stands
- 276 Pair of wine cups, Blanc de Chine, each in the shape of a begonia leaf, the flowers beneath in relief, probably late Ming, with appropriate stands
- 277 Two-handled cup, carved soapstone, with dragon decoration, wood stand and cover with lapis lazuli knob 1
- 278 **Baluster vase of pulsating blue,** with gold decoration of tree hydrangea, on a twig of which is perched a bird; Kanghsi with inlaid cover and stand; a piece of very fine decorative value, 8½ inches high (see illustration)
- 279 Crystal ornament, carved as a lotus in bloom, on the root of which stands a water fowl
- 280 A ritual wine vessel, with cover, light coloured jade, carved in low relief, with cloud scrolls and banana leaf pattern
- A very fine vase, baluster shape, with large mouth, decorated with a tree peony in bloom, azalea, weeping willow, etc., in soft colours, black birds in flight, cock, hen and chicks under the bush, butterflies and longevity fungus, 15 inches high, with carved wood stand, Yung Cheng (see illustration)
- 282 Small deep plate, with dragon in *rouge de fer* on blue waves, the outside decorated in the same style, with a number of dragons on waves, Kang Hsi
- 283 A fine rock crystal figure of Kwannon, seated
- 284 **Group of three jade figures,** Si Wang Mu in the centre, her basket filled with emblems of longevity, her attendants carry respectively one a vase and the other a branch of peach and a musical stone "Ching," with appropriate carved stand (see illustration)
- 285 Small green jade wine cup on stand
- 286 Tall famille verte vase, delicately decorated with two panels, mother, children and other lady; children being taught to read; flowers and butterflies on green glaze, Ch'ien lung period, 20 inches high, with carved wood stand

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- Table screen of carved wood, holding three jade tablets, one white with animal and grapes in openwork, one tinged with emerald green, children and go-table; the other with a sage floating on a log on a river, and an inscription in low relief (see illustration)
- 288 Pair of Tsuichu lacquer boxes, eight lobed, decorated with Chinese sages and attendants, one expounding the scenery, the other playing the *koto*
- 289 Large wooden bowl, lacquered in powdered gold on a light yellowish green ground, decorated with nine panels of birds in colours; very curious piece, with carved stand 1
- 290 **Koro** of carved jade, with ring handles, and three feet of mythical animals, leafy scrolls in low relief, carved wood stand (see illustration)
- 291 Two wine cups, blanc de chine, octagonal shape, one with prunus in relief, the other with incised characters, both with stands 2
- 292 Jade pendant, carved with Kirin on one side, and Fuku-Ju on the other with sloping stand, carved wood, also pendant of white jade, cylindrical, tubular
- 293 Jade, tubular charm box, carved with a dragon complete with cord; also a ring of Lapis Lazuli; and another of fine coloured jasper 3
- Blanc de chine figure of Kwannon, seated, holding a roll, on lotus leaf stand of carved wood, probably Kanghsi, 7½ inches high, (see illustration)
- 295 Lapis lazuli figure of Daruma, returning from his grave to India, with one shoe, on carved wooden stand 1
- 296 Rock crystal koro, pretty shape, with dragon handles, and Karashishi on the cover
- 297 Tall jar with wide mouth, coral-red with chrysanthemum scroll in gold, leaving two reserves decorated respectively with an elderly man wheeling a lady in a bath chair, and a landscape in the mountain, with swift river on the bank of which stand houses, Chien lung, 16 inches high, carved wood stand (see illustration)

298 Jade staff, carved in openwork, with dragon, Howo, cat and peonies; and a jade brush handle, tipped with green at both ends, carved with floral scrolls 299 Wine cup, Yung Cheng ware, decoration of flowers and fruit, on wooden stand, also a soapstone paper-weight in the shape of a stem of bamboo with a beetle on top 300 Small jade placque, square, with Jui, lotus, box of treasure and the character Shuang Hsi, showing it to be a wedding gift, on appropriate stand; a boy carved in the round, wood (see illustration) 301 Small "ink screen" of finely coloured jasper, on a jade stand (see illustration) 302 Root, carved as a Koro, on three feet, with dragon cover, ivory, and stand, also ivory 303 Jade, a finger citron; and agate two lichee 2 304 Bottle, decorated with an old sage staff in hand, beckoning to a boy who carries his koto; gnarled pine tree and rocks, 7 inches high, with inlaid stand (see illustration) 305 Two charms, monkeys and longevity fungus, agate, carp in waves, jade 306 Small jade vase, with shishi handles, peony and magnolia in relief, with commendatory, inscription in relief; and a wanchi, jade, nail decoration, on carved wood stand 307 Tade wine cup, carved with two dragons on wood stand 1 Jade vase, bronze style, with ribbon decoration, on wood stand; 308 another, taller with Shu decoration, both with tubular handles Jade, rectangular baluster vase, with decoration in bronze style, 309 inlaid stand; hairpin, jade, fine specimen Baluster vase, the mad Sennin, Kenzan, with broom, beckoning to 310

> a water-bearer, trees and rocks on other side, green diaper on shoulder, Kanghsi, with stand, 10 inches high (see illus-

tration)

- Jade figure, paragon of filial virtue, returning home with a carp (cracked), on carved wood stand; also lacquered wood stand for a finger citron
- 312 A curious "stationery box," handsome piece of Poo-chow Tsuichu lacquer, in the shape of a chariot (inside which papers are usually stored), the lid imitating three rolled books on a flat one, serves as two boxes for brushes and other writing implements, decoration of dragons on waves, in relief
- Two trays of Tsuichu lacquer, on carved wood stands; and a Yung Cheng saucer, with butterfly and peony decoration
- Jade figure of a Buddhist priest, seated, smiling (on carved wood stand) (see illustration)
- Ornamental necklace, "Mandarin chain," of carved cherry-stones, with large lapis lazuli parent beads, pendants of coral beads, jade drops mounted on gilt brass with blue feathers decoration; in special plaited rattan case
- 316 Vase of poudré red lacquer, with painted floral decoration, on carved stand, and with silk lined case
- 317 Two wine pots and cup, gourd shape with leaves and tendrils, lacquered in imitation of old Ming porcelain, in silk-lined case
- 318 Rolled picture, on silk, the eighteen chief followers of Buddha (including Boddhidharma), somewhat unconventional treatment, with fine lines; inscribed: On a winter day of the Mizu no E cycle, respectfully painted by a disciple of Buddha
- 319 Pair of Kakemono: one with small bird in flight over chrysanthemum and begonia, the other a kingfisher on a lotus, "Copy from the sketch book of Shisheisei by Unkokaji Chokei," and "painted with the prime minister's colours by Mokusho Chokei" 2
- 320 Pair of long Kakemono in early Ming style, long paintings, land-scapes with small edifices and waterfall, fine old pieces, one inscribed: Cold fountain, flying waterfall; and the other:

 Geese alight over flat fields

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- 321 Fine small Kakemono, Ming style, an official and boy attendant under trees; squire holding a horse in readiness, curious cloud treatment; Signed: Gokochoyo
- 322 A long landscape makimono, interesting painting; "original painting presented as a farewell present to the order of Shunya Sankei in the year Kampo, Soho third," together with bold calligraphic title, and 14 criticisms and appreciations
- 323 **Tall vase,** Yung Cheng, porcelain, a Chinese sage reclining under a pine tree near rapids, a boy brings him hot wine. Decorative piece of good composition and colour, 17 ins. high
- 324 Octagonal tray of green jadeite, with curved sides, rare large
- 325 Bulbous bottle of self-coloured, deep cherry glaze, nearly 13 ins. high, mark: Kang Hsi
- 326 Green jade vase in the shape of a rectangular baluster, with loose rings, fine piece in bronze design with emerald green streaks, carved wood stand
- 327 Fine blue and white ginger jar, 8 ins. high, with broad design of women and children at play, with carved cover and stand 1
- 328 Japanese prints by *Baichoro Kunisada*, the popular set of 54 prints illustrating the old romance, Genji Monogatari, published by Tsutayama (the outside title reads: Genji Karuta). *In good condition* (owner's name inside: Inakakei Takéyuki)

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- Wine vessel of Canton enamel, in the shape of a peach, with blossoms and leaves, and four cups to match, also peach-shape

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- 330 A kettle of blue and white Canton enamel, longevity design of plum, pine, bamboo
- Octagonal bottle of Chinese blue and white chain decoration, 10 ins. high, and a Canton enamel vase, in rich colours with panels illustrating a story, 8 ins. high

- 332 Japanese mask of *Hakushiki*, carved wood painted
- 333 Three "Ming" dishes, pair with chrysanthemum decoration; and another with Karashishi and pheasant, all leaf mark, and 8½ ins. diameter
- 334 Stationery box; on outside of lid, very finely worked landscape, a Japanese gentleman and his attendant about to cross a bridge over a river, in which two ducks are swimming, hills in the background, all in gold in high relief. On inside of lid a house, pine and blossom cherry trees, and heavy clouds in background, all in high relief, on a dusted gold ground. The outer sides of the box are dusted with gold, and decorated with floral designs in relief; and a smaller, with similar decoration, containing the midzu-ire, ink block, and tray for brushes, very handsome work
- 335 Stationery box, on outside of lid, a landscape, houses on both sides of a river; people crossing a bridge in the foreground, and a pine tree, the needles inlaid mother-of-pearl; inside of lid, a guide showing a gentleman and his attendant the way through a bamboo grove; and a smaller box inside, with similar decoration, containing midzu-ire, ink block, and trays for brushes
- 336 Cake box, nearly square, the slightly domed cover with rims coming half way down sides; very fine nashiji, with slightly raised design of the association Sho Chiku Bai, pine, bamboo, and plum, for Long Life and Beauty; inside one tray with gold rims, and nashiji ground, silk cords for tying
- 337 Kashiki, cylindrical, in four sections, togidashi lacquer, the two lower sections black, with floral designs, the two upper with diaper patterns, and the lid with a combed pattern all over in gold and silver; inside nashiji
- 338 Early Chinese lacquer, Ming period, two figures of Chinese sages, beautifully decorated 2
- 339 Oblong box, rounded corners and rounded edges to l.d, rich nashiji, with faintly raised design of Tokugawa crests, on bamboo, pine, and maidenhair fern in gold, gold rims; inside nasihji

Chinese Paintings.

- THE FOLLOWING NINE LOTS ARE EARLY EIGHTEENTH CENTURY PAINTINGS ON CANVAS, ALL IN WHITE MOULDED FRAMES, UNGLAZED. THE SIZES GIVEN ARE TAKEN HEIGHT FIRST AND THEN WIDTH, MEASUREMENTS OVER FRAMES.
- 341 Chinamen playing *Go*, in a pavilion, situated in the centre of a lake, with a boat lying alongside; ladies and gentlemen walking in the foreground, and a coolie, with two string bags, suspended from a stick across his shoulders. Houses on each side of lake, with figures on the balconies; in the background hills, 3ft. by 5ft. 7ins.
- 342 Chinese festival scene, in the foreground a procession, headed by a man carrying a long bamboo pole, to which is suspended a carp, flowers, &c., followed by children playing instruments, and carrying banners, &c., and lastly by a man and woman and servants Scene on the edge of a lake, on right hand side a house overlooking the lake, and hills in the background, 3ft. by 5ft. 7ins.
- 343 Scene in domestic life. The court yard of a house, on the left hand side of the picture two children fighting, while another is trying to separate them, and some women looking on; on balcony overlooking a lake in centre of picture two women walking; right hand side of picture is the retired head of the family, a fat old man surrounded by servants, 3ft. by 5ft. 7ins. (slightly damaged)
- 344 Summer scene on banks of a lake, a boat in the foreground, houses on each side, with figures strolling about on the balconies; hills in the background, 3ft. by 5ft. 5ins.
- 345 Domestic scene in the cool mountain districts; in the foreground figures walking about on the banks of a lake, and a boat shooting under a drum-shaped bridge; a house on an island in centre of lake, with men sitting reading; mountains in the background, 3ft. by 5ft. 4ins.
- 346 Holiday resort; scene, the courtyard of a house, situated on the edge of a lake; in the foreground archery practice; on the left side an elderly man walking with a child; centre of picture, behind the archers, a man picking another's ear; right hand side of picture, two ladies watching the archers, and a man lighting his p pe, 3ft. by 5ft. 7ins.

- 347 Interior of a corn merchant's shop; merchant using his abaccus in the shop, coolies with baskets seated outside under the shade of a tree, 24ins. by 23½ins.
- 348 A summer resort; two men seated in the shade of leafy trees, attendants standing round waiting upon them, 24 ins. by 231 ins.
- Autumn wood-cutting; boy seated in a tree sawing one of the branches, and children on the ground collecting twigs, and chopping; a man seated at the foot of the tree watching the boy sawing, 24ins. by 23½ins. (slightly damaged) 1
- 350 A very fine tortoise shell box engraved with a Japanese picture, chased brass mounts, a time piece

Inro.

- 351 Four cases, Aogai hiramé, emblems of the Boys' Festival and chrysanthemum fête. Another, black lacquer, wild geese and pine tree togidashi and gold relief

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- **352** Four cases, black with gold clouds and articles of armour in togidashi, signed: Kwanshosai. Another, five cases, Kwanyu and his squire, takamakiyé on black ground
- 353 Four cases, togidashi, Lake Biwa in the mist, line specimen, signed: Hasegawa Shigeyoshi. Another, gold ground, four cases, with scarlet-runner and scouring grass in colours 2
- 354 Four cases, gold lacquer, rabbits making mochi, raised lacquer and pearl inlay, signed: Tojo after the picture of Takakiyo, Another, black sheath with Oni yarai design, gold lacquer inro inside
- Old carved wood inro, three cases, Kirin on waves And another, four cases, black with new year's emblems, raised gold 2
- 356 Three cases, gold lacquer with pine trees, pewter and shell, inscribed inside *Hogen Korin* Another, gold lacquer, four cases, flowers of autumn in relief, signed: Shokwasai 2

- 357 Five cases, black with chrysanthenium over hedge, gold. Three cases, bear in a grotto under a tree 2
- 358 Four cases, birds and rice sheaves, bamboo *togidashi*, black and gold, and small four cases, crests in same technique 2
- 359 Four cases, waves, togidashi with chidori in relief, signed: Koma Yasutada, and three cases, Manzai dancers in boat, raised gold lacquer, signed: Jitokusai 2
- 360 Four cases, black flecked with gold, cranes and pine tree, motherof-pearl and gold inlaid; and another, Sambasso dancers, gold lacquer 2
- 361 Two cases; black with incised shishi and peonies in relief gold, Hiramé ends, inscribed "Drawn at a moment's notice by Soyo"; and another, four cases, views of Omi, flat gold, on black
- 362 Six cases, gold lacquer stream and lespedeza; and another, gold lacquer, seven cases, brocade design 2
- Four cases, black, bridge, wild geese and reeds under the moon, raised gold, &c.; another, four cases, Hototoguisu on plum tree (poetical allusion), inlaid work on raised gold lacquer 2
- 364 Four cases, black, snow-clad bamboo and sparrows on basket, gold and silver lacquer; another, four cases, horse and retainers under a cherry tree
- 365 Five cases, black, cock on a door, very fine piece of raised lacquer, signed: Tamura. Another, four cases, mokumé lacquer, hawk pursuing two sparrows over a yamabuki, signed: Koami Nagataka Rokueki 2
- Three cases, flower basket, with Doji on a buffalo; another, five cases, bridge and crescent moon, signed: Tsuchiya Soyetsu at the age of 63
- 367 **Very fine Suzuri Bako,** black lacquer, the Palace chariot under chrysanthemum, amongst *shinobu gusa* in gold; inside, mountain and trees on the shore of a lake, the waves continuous "combed" work, etched brass *mizuiré* (see illustration)

- 368 Another fine Suzuri Bako, black ground, with Hotei, modelled in gold in high relief, his bag togidashi in relief, Hôwô brocade pattern, exquisite technique; inside, a high waterfall feeding two narrow streams, togidashi, and gold relief on rich nashiji, Dianthus design in case, mizuiré, a conch shell (see illustration)
- 369 Another Suzuri Bako, the salt-burning beach Shiôgahama; yasurikonashiji ground, design in relief gold, shells inlaid aogai, &c.; inside the moon silver, behind a cherry tree, the flowers gold leaf, flower design carried on to the case; mizuiré silver, Hôwô bird (see illustration)
- 370 Another **Suzuri Bako**, mura nashiji; the lacquer design inside a Sho, Koto wrapped up, &c., signed: Kajikawa; outside, decorated with a Tori Kabuto used in ritual dances, shakudô beautifully chased and inlaid gold; Signed: Masayoshi (Iwama Seiro) at the age of 65; very curious specimen 1
- 371 Drum-shaped box, gold lacquer, with Tomoyé ends and veined sides 1
- 372 Fubako, letter case, rich red gold nashiji, with plum decoration in relief gold, silver rings (see illustration) 1
- 373 Fubako, nashiji, decorated with bamboo, flat gold and aogai inlay (see illustration) 1
- 374 Fubako, nashiji, with crests in gold and silver flat lacquer 1
- 375 Fubako, nashiji, clematis and butterfly raised gold lacquer
- 376 Small shrine, Buddha seated, two *Apsara* in front (arms broken), the doors painted with the Ten Deva Kings on gold ground 1
- 377 Two metal **Inro,** one signed Seishinsei Motoyuki, represents the Sennin Chodorio evoking a Karashishi to frighten the evil spirits, *rare subject*; the other *iron*, thunder and waves, signed: Masayoshi (*see illustration*)
- 378 Three cases, gold, the painter Wu Taotze and his dragon screen, raised lacquer, signed: Kunishigé. Another, black, four cases, the eight views of Omi, gold lacquer 2

- 379 Four cases, black, with recesses decorated in gold with fan and Kiku, character Jiu by a calligraphist, seals, &c., signed: Tokosai Wakabayashi Seiko Masashigé, curious piece with concealed cord. Five cases, gold, peonies and bamboo curtain
- 380 Another, four cases, gold ground, Manzai and Jo, in relief, faces ivory, very fine work, signed: Shokwasai 1
- 381 Natural wood, with lacquered design, on one side a cock and hen, signed: Gensho sai Hozan; on the other, bamboo, signed: Genyusai Hoin. Another, black, with inubariko in raised lacquer, and flower arrangement in pewter hanaiké, signed: Koma Kiuhaku
- 382 Natural wood, with decoration in relief, a peasant seated on a faggot, hut, cock and hen on other side, signed: Kwansai Another, four cases, gold lacquer, with hawk on pine tree, and sparrows in flight
- 383 Two cases, black lacquer, cock, hen and chicks, flat gold and colour. Another, four cases, wagtail and narcissus togidashi, signed: Moyei 2
- 384 Four cases, black, the herbs of spring in relief gold and silver lacquer. Another, four cases, cock and hen, metal, under bamboo 2
- 385 Four cases, gold lacquer, ticated in relief, the design Kiokusui no Yen, signed: *Shokwasai*. Another, black, crane pine tree and third night of the moon, signed: Jokwasai 2
- 386 Four cases, gold lacquer, Jurojin on a stag, face ivory; on other side a child and crane
- Four cases, deer and maple trees, gold on black ground. Another, black lacquer, single case, the attributes of Kensu (prawn in net, nioi, hossu and mokugyo) 2
- 388 Four cases, boy cowherd, raised lacquer on black ground, and a bay, gold waves studded with shells, ship and geese in metal 1
- A lacquer box in the shape of "tanzaku," and an octagonal box, entering one another, *fine quality of gold*, in relief, with trees emblematic of longevity, peonies, &c.

- 390 An old Cloisonné bowl, conventional Hôwô birds in colours on blue ground, remains of old gold and red lacquer inside
- 391 Canton enamel box, blue *Karakusa* on white field, Chinese flowers on top and bottom in colours 1
- 392 A cup of Bow china, A.F., four lobed, on raised foot, decorated with roses in relief, and peach blossoms in flat glaze 1
- 393 Two 15-in. Chinese blue and white dishes, and two 9-in. plates 4
- Japanese ivory cylindrical vase and cover, elaborately and deeply carved with continuous design of flowers from the foot upwards, 6ins. high, a beautiful piece, in perfect condition 1
- Japanese ivory Court sword, 3ft. 5ins. long, the scabbard covered with numerous carved figures 1
- 396 A pair of small ivory Chinese oblong plaques, $3\frac{3}{4}$ ins. \times $1\frac{3}{4}$ ins. elaborately carved with figures in panels, surrounded by flowers, fine work
- 397 A model of a Chinese coffin in ivory, ebony, mahogany, &c., with figure of a Mandaiin inside
- 398 A Chinese ivory stained tortoise-shell case containing a knife, ivory chop-sticks and toothpick
- 399 A ditto knife and chop-stick with incised silver handles, in leather case
- 400 A pair of jade plaques deeply cut with dragon design, set in carved wood as table screens, Kein-Long period 2
- 401 Another, inset with 4 circular and one heart-shaped plaques of green jade and small pearl border 1
- 402 Chinese silver bangles with designs in relief, and 2 hair-pin ornaments with Government stamps, weight
- 403 Old Japanese coloured prints, Actor Kumesaburo Yuwa and Xikugoro Onoyé, by *Kuninao*, and Yoshi Kuni, lord and lady with smoking cabinet

404	Kakemono by Masayoshi, storm dragon and Fuji-yama	
405	Ditto by Yukoku, a warrior and Inkara	
406	Ditto by O Oshin, pupil of Oju, Oju pupil of Oku, subject, cock	S
407	Ditto, group in a garden, unsigned	
408	Ostrich egg, finely decorated in gold lacquer with peony, plutree and nanten, the peony and nanten-berries tipped wored, mounted on velvet base	
409	Ivory netsuké (3), Hotei, Kylin and handle, and a bone Hotei	
410	Ivory netsuké, Hotei squatting and a Manju netsuké, squir on grape vine, both well carved	re
411	Ivory netsuké, varied, and 2 Manju ditto with metal mounts	(
412	Tsuba, iron	4
413	Ditto, ditto	4
414	Ditto, ditto	3
415	Ditto, bronze and iron	2
416	Ditto, silver and gold inlay, dragon and Ho-ho bird	8
417	Menuki (8), in case	8
418	Metal plaques from Manju netsuké, and a dog and man's heads	8
419	Kodzuka, various	18
420	Chinese lady's gold ear-ring of openwork with emerald jade plaq and coral, and 4 pearls	u€ 1
421	Another with chased design, set with heart-shaped pink jac pearl and leaves, inlaid with blue from kingfisher's wing	
422	A jade Mandarin's sword-handle, carved à la fleur-de-lys, 6ins. lor pretty design	ng 1

423	A jade pierced plaque with dragon design, a small green saucer
	and another of Blue John 3
424	A jade candlestick and a large green bangle 2
425	A rock crystal Kylin on a pedestal carved in one piece, $4\frac{1}{2}$ ins. high
426	A Chinese mother-of-pearl circular plaque finely carved with figures, &c.
427	A Japanese black-wood stand carved as a rock, covered with metal waves, a large piece of red coral arising from the centre, choice
428	A pair of old Cloisonné cups and saucers, mounted on wooden stand, very fine 2
429	An old Canton enamel cup, cover and saucer 3
430	An old Japanese bronze koro surmounted by a Kylin, a bronze bell with griffin and bird decoration, and a dagger in metal sheath
431	A pair of Cloisonné vases, 15^3_4 ins, high, decorated with cranes, butterflies, and flowers on a blue and gold ground 1
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